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SUBJ: EXTRADITION - DOMINIQUE ORSINI

REF: DAKAR 4660

1. AT GOS FOREIGN MINISTRY'S REQUEST, EMBASSY HAS PREPARED DIPLOMATIC NOTE (WITH TRANSLATION) CONCERNING DOMINIQUE ORSINI CASE.

2. EMBASSY'S DRAFT NOTE (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED) FOLLOWS:

QUOTE: EMBASSY OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRESENTS COMPLIMENTS TO MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS REPUBLIC OF SENEGAL AND HAS HONOR TO REFER TO PROVISIONAL ARREST DOMINIQUE ORSINI.

"UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WISHES EXPRESS ITS GREAT APPRECIATION FOR ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION OF SENEGALESE GOVERNMENT IN TAKING STEPS BRING TO JUSTICE THIS IMPORTANT TRAFFICKER IN NARCOTICS.

"UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT REQUESTS THAT DOMINIQUE ORSINI BE RETURNED TO UNITED STATES TO STAND TRIAL FOR CRIME FOR LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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WHICH HE HAS BEEN INDICTED BY UNITED STATES DISTRICT

COURT EASTERN DISTRICT NEW YORK. COPY OF INDICTMENT
FOR THOSE CRIMES WAS DELIVERED BY EMBASSY TO MINISTRY
FOREIGN AFFAIRS AUGUST 7.

"UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WISHES DO WHATEVER SENEGALESE LAW
REQUIRES IN ORDER ORSINI BE RETURNED TO UNITED STATES AND
AWAITS SOVEREIGN DETERMINATION SENEGALESE GOVERNMENT
CONCERNING ACTION TO BE TAKEN.

"IN CASE SENEGALESE GOVERNMENT WISHES EXTRADITE FUGITIVE,
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY PREPARING FOLLOWING DOCUMENTATION:
WARRANTS, INDICTMENTS, AFFIDAVITS CONCERNING IDENTITY, AFFI-
DAVITS CONCERNING CRIMES COMMITTED AND LAWS VIOLATED, AND AFFI-
DAVITS ON BACKGROUND OF ACTS DONE BY FUGITIVE UPON WHICH
WARRANTS AND INDICTMENTS ARE BASED. THIS EVIDENCE WILL BE
AUTHENTICATED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL AND BY SECRETARY OF
STATE. ENTIRE SET OF DOCUMENTS BEING TRANSLATED INTO
FRENCH, AND WILL BE SENT TO EMBASSY TO BE PRESENTED TO
MINISTRY ALONG WITH FORMAL NOTE REQUESTING EXTRADITION. IN
ABSENCE OF EXTRADITION TREATY EMBASSY HAS BEEN ASKED
INQUIRE WHETHER MINISTRY CONSIDERS PREPARATION AND FORWAR-
DING OF ABOVE DESCRIBED DOCUMENTATION APPROPRIATE AND
WHETHER SUCH MEASURES WOULD COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS OF
GOVERNMENT OF SENEGAL.

"IF, PURSUANT ITS SOVEREIGN PREROGATIVE, SENEGALESE GOVERNMENT
DECIDES EXPEL RATHER THAN EXTRADITE FUGITIVE, UNITED
STATES GOVERNMENT ASKS THAT HE BE EXPELLED TO UNITED
STATES AND REQUESTS THAT EMBASSY BE ADVISED CONCERNING
SCHEDULE FOR HIS TRAVEL. AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IS PREPARED
PAY TRAVEL EXPENSES OF FUGITIVE TO UNITED STATES ON
NEXT AVAILABLE AMERICAN AIRCRAFT AND COULD PROVIDE
AMERICAN ESCORT. IN ADDITION IT WOULD BE PREPARED, IF
SENEGALESE GOVERNMENT SO WISHES, TO PAY TRAVEL EXPENSES FOR ONE
OR TWO SENEGALESE OFFICERS TO ACCOMPANY FUGITIVE AND AMERICAN
ESCORT TO UNITED STATES.

"UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT UNDERSTANDS THAT GOVERNMENT
OF FRANCE HAS NO OBJECTION TO EXPULSION OR EXTRADITION OF
DOMINIQUE ORSINI TO UNITED STATES AND THAT FRENCH
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GOVERNMENT BELIEVES JUSTICE WOULD BE BEST SERVED IF
ORSINI WERE DELIVERED TO AMERICAN AUTHORITIES FOR PROSE-
CUTION.

"EMBASSY TAKES THIS OCCASION RENEW TO MINISTRY ASSURANCES
OF ITS HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. END TEXT.

3. BEFORE DELIVERING NOTE TO GOS, PREFERABLY NLT 1700

LOCAL TIME AUG 11, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE CONCURRENCE BY
DEPT. PLEASE ADVISE.
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